large suffer from high wear and tear and high power consumption. The residual oil content left in the cake is around 7 per cent which is considered to be normal keeping in mind the need to maintain the proper quality of oil/oil cake.

India is annually losing substantial quantities of vegetbale oils (edible and non-edible) owing to a number of factors like difficulties in the collection of oil bearing materials, lack of proper storage facilities, lack of modern processing facilities, etc. Efforts are being made to fabricate efficient expellers and also for the transfer of technology for modern processing.

लहसुन के मूल्य

1750. **श्री अजीत जोगी :** क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि

(क) क्या यह सच है कि मध्य प्रदेश और अन्य राज्यों के किसानों ने पर्याप्त मात्रा में लहसुन का उत्पादन किया परन्तु वे अपने उत्पाद के लिए उत्पादन लागत भी प्राप्त नहीं कर सके ;

(ख) यदि हां, तो क्या नेफेड या किसी अन्य अभिकरण द्वारा लहसुन की खरीद किए जाने के लिए कोई व्यवस्था किए जाने का विचार है ;

(ग) क्या वैकल्पिक बाजार उपलब्ध कराने के लिए लहसुन का निर्यात किए जाने का विचार है; और

(घ) क्या यह सच है कि लहसुन के लिए लिए उचित मूल्य न मिल पाने के कारण पश्चिमी मध्य प्रदेश के मंदसौर, इन्दौर आदि जिलों के अधिकांश किसानों की स्थिति पर विपरीत असर पड़ा है और सरकार ने उन्हें कोई राहत प्रदान नहीं की है ?

कृषि मंत्रालय में कृषि और सहकारिता विभाग में राज्य मंत्री (श्री श्याम लाल यादव) : (क) और (ख) इस वर्ष के लिए लहसुन के उत्पादन के सरकारी अनुमान उपलब्ध नहीं है। राज्य सरकार से ऐसी कोई रिपोर्ट प्राप्त नहीं हुई है कि किसानों को उत्पादन लागत भी नहीं मिली ।

(ग) खुले सामान्य लाइसेंस के अन्तर्गत लहसुन का निर्यात किया जाता है ।

(घ) मध्य प्रदेश सरकार से ऐसी कोई रिपोर्ट प्राप्त नहीं हुई है ।

Handing over of 44 colonies to MCD

1751. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALVIYA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that 44 resettlement and other colonies have been handed over by D.D.A. to the Municpial Corporation of Delhi since June, 1988 for improvement works and to resolve the problems;

(b) if so, what is the number of employees and officers who have been transferred to the M.C.D. alongwith these colonies;

(c) what was the number of officers/employees so transferred as on 19th July, 1988; and

(d) what were the amounts of grant given to M.C.D. to complete civic works in the resettlement and other colonies handed over to the M.C.D. and when such amounts were given?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (d) Forty four resettlement colonies which were being maintained by the Delhi Development Authority were transferred to the Municipal Corporation of Delhi with effect from 1-6-1988 for maintenance by the Municipal Corporation of Delhi. 7014 employees of different categories were notified for transfer to the Municipal Corporation of Delhi but the actual number of employees transferred till date by the DDA to the MCD is 6431. A sum of Rs. 10 crores was given to the MCD in July, 1988 for completion of civic works. A grant in aid of Rs. 12.64 crores has also been released for the construction of Jan Suvidha in resettlement colonies.